UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

-v-

BOBBY L. HUGHLEY,

Defendant.

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98-cr-695 (MKV)

**ORDER** 

MARY KAY VYSKOCIL, United States District Judge:

The Court is in receipt of another *pro se* letter from Mr. Hughley dated October 9, 2023. [See ECF No. 55.] Mr. Hughley asks that Judge Keenan come "out of retirement" to "deal with [a] fraudulent complaint that [a] postal inspector files [sic] against" him and seeks the appointment of counsel that is "well verse [sic] in Federal Employee Compensation Law." [ECF No. 55.]

It appears that Mr. Hughley is seeking counsel for purposes of his defense in a <u>civil</u> action. However, as already explained in an Order dated December 20, 2022, the case before me is Mr. Hughley's <u>criminal</u> case. I cannot appoint counsel to help Mr. Hughley in an employment dispute. If Mr. Hughley wishes to pursue civil claims, he must file a separate lawsuit and file his request for counsel in that case.

The Court previously granted Mr. Hughley until June 12, 2023 to file a motion in connection with his criminal case. No such motion was filed.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully requested to mail a copy of this Order to Mr. Hughley.

SO ORDERED.

**Date: October 20, 2023** 

New York, NY

MARY KAY VYSKOCIL

United States District Judge